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### **VIA ECFS**

June 27, 2014

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: <u>REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT</u> – Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90; Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization, WC Docket No. 11-42

Request that Information Submitted to the Commission be Withheld from Public Inspection Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §0.459 and 5 U.S.C. §552(b)(4): Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan included in FCC Form 481

Confidential Financial Information – Subject to Protective Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 07-135, 05-337, 03-109, CC Docket Nos. 01-92, 96-45, GN Docket No. 09-51, WT Docket No. 10-208, Before the Federal Communications Commission

### Dear Ms. Dortch:

In accordance with the annual reporting requirements of 47 C.F.R. §§54.313 and 54.422, Dobson Telephone Company (the Company), Study Area Code 431988, is submitting a completed FCC Form 481 to the Commission via its Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) in WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 11-42. The Company, by its authorized representative, hereby requests confidential treatment of two attachments to its FCC Form 481: (1) the five-year service quality improvement plan and (2) the financial annual report, both of which were redacted in the ECFS submission. The request for confidential treatment of the five-year plan is being made pursuant to section 0.459 of the Commission's rules and Exemption 4 of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). The request for confidential treatment of the financial annual report is being made pursuant to the FCC's November 16, 2012 *Protective Order* in WC Docket No. 10-90 et al. These attachments contain competitively sensitive data that Dobson Telephone Company maintains as confidential and does not normally make available to the public. Release of this information would have a substantial negative impact on the Company.



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### Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan

Pursuant to section 0.459 of the Commission's rules and Exemption 4 of FOIA, Dobson Telephone Company requests that the text and data extracted from its five-year service quality improvement plan be withheld from public inspection because it contains competitively sensitive commercial and financial information that the Company keeps confidential. Public availability of this information would have a substantial negative impact on the Company.

In accordance with section 0.459 of the Commission's rules, the following information is provided in support of this request:

(1) Identification of the specific information for which confidential treatment is sought:

Attachment to Line 112 of FCC Form 481 – Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan. Specifically, confidential treatment is sought for all information in the five-year plan related to the Company's access line counts, existing broadband capabilities, and its network investment plans through 2019 that will improve service quality for its customers.

(2) Identification of the Commission proceeding in which the information was submitted or a description of the circumstances giving rise to the submission:

The information was submitted in WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 11-42 as an attachment to FCC Form 481- the Carrier Annual Reporting Data Collection Form. Section 100 of FCC Form 481 requires incumbent local exchange carriers receiving high cost support to attach a five-year service quality improvement plan, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §§54.202(a)(1)(ii) and 54.313(a)(1).

(3) Explanation of the degree to which the information is commercial or financial, or contains a trade secret or is privileged:

The five-year service quality improvement plan contains granular information on the Company's access line counts and existing broadband capabilities as well as detailed plans for financial investments in its network through 2019 to improve service to subscribers. This is closely guarded, privileged information that the Company does not make publicly available.

(4) Explanation of the degree to which the information concerns a service that is subject to competition:

Broadband is subject to increasing competition in the areas served by rural, rate-of-return incumbent local exchange carriers (RLECs). Virtually all RLECs face competition from one or more wireless Internet service providers. Most RLECs also face competition from at least one other wireline broadband provider such as a larger cable company, who will typically seek to "cherry pick" the lower cost portions of the study area. In addition, all RLECs face competition throughout their territories from satellite broadband providers.



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(5) Explanation of how disclosure of the information could result in substantial competitive harm:

Disclosure of the information contained in the five-year plan would provide competitors with detailed, granular information regarding the Company's access line count, its existing broadband capabilities, and its strategic plans for network investments. This would give competitors invaluable confidential information with which to develop their own strategies for investing in the service area, thereby bringing substantial competitive harm to the Company.

(6) Identification of any measures taken by the submitting party to prevent unauthorized disclosure:

The Company has continually treated the extracted information in its five-year plan as confidential and carefully controls the information to protect it from competitors. Access to the information is limited to employees that require it and to non-employees with confidentiality obligations such as lenders, consultants, auditors, and attorneys. In addition, when such information is required to be submitted to a state regulatory authority it has been filed as confidential information, not available to the public.

(7) Identification of whether the information is available to the public and the extent of any previous disclosure of the information to third parties:

The redacted information in the five-year plan is not available to the public, and third party access is limited as described in (6) above.

(8) Justification of the period during which the submitting party asserts that material should not be available for public disclosure:

The Company requests that the extracted information be withheld from public inspection indefinitely. Although the information reflects the Company's service improvement plans for a five year period, it would provide a very useful baseline for competitors for several years beyond that period.

(9) Any other information that the party seeking confidential information treatment believes may be useful in assessing whether its request for confidentiality should be granted:

Exemption 4 of FOIA shields from public disclosure commercial or financial information obtained from a person that is privileged or confidential. Based on the responses provided above, the information in question satisfies this test.

### **Financial Annual Report**

Section 3005 of FCC Form 481 requires a privately-held rate-of-return carrier receiving high cost support to attach a full and complete annual report of the Company's financial condition and operations pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §54.313(f)(2). Dobson Telephone Company seeks confidential treatment of its financial annual report pursuant to the November 16, 2012 *Protective Order* in WC Docket No. 10-90, et al.¹ The *Protective Order* specifically covers information filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §54.313(f)(2).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Connect America Fund et al., WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Protective Order, DA 12-1857 (rel. Nov. 16, 2012).



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Dobson Telephone Company is providing to the Office of the Secretary, under seal, this cover letter and the Form 481 filing which includes the confidential information that is being requested to be withheld from public inspection.

Each page of the five-year service quality improvement plan confidential submission bears the legend, "CONFIDENTIAL – NOT FOR PUBLIC DISCLOSURE."

Each page of the financial annual report confidential submission bears the legend, "CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION - SUBJECT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER IN WC DOCKET NOS. 10-90, 07-135, 05-337, 03-109, CC DOCKET NOS. 01-92, 96-45, GN DOCKET NO. 09-51, WT DOCKET NO. 10-208, BEFORE THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION."

Two copies of the Form 481 filing in redacted form and an accompanying cover letter are also being provided with the confidential filing. Each page of the redacted filing and accompanying cover letter is marked "REDACTED – FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION."

Two copies of this cover letter and the Form 481 filing with the confidential information are also being delivered to Mr. Charles Tyler, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau.

The confidential information has also been submitted to the Universal Service Administrative Company through its E-File system as an attachment to the FCC Form 481.

This cover letter includes no confidential information and the text is the same in both the non-redacted and redacted versions except for the confidentiality markings.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely

Lynette Hampton

Authorized Representative for Dobson Telephone Company

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**Enclosures** 

cc: Mr. Charles Tyler, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, (2 hardcopies of non-redacted submission)

Mr. Trent LeForce, Dobson Telephone Company

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<ul> <li>(112)</li> <li>(113)</li> <li>(115)</li> <li>(116)</li> <li>(117)</li> <li>(118)</li> </ul>	If your answer to Line <111> is yes, then you are required to file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.  Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.  Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached documents(s), on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to § 54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.  Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets Report how much universal service (USF) support was received How (USF) was used to improve service coverage How (USF) was used to improve service capacity Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.	ompany is a  Name of Attached Document  e	

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<910>	Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves	Cheyenne-Arapaho Nation
		4319880k920.pdf
<920>	Tribal Government Engagement Obligation	
		Name of Attached Document
If your to conf demon \$ 54.31	If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes,No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached document(s), on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:  4921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.  4922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;  4923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;  4924> Compliance with Rights of way processes  4925> Compliance with Environmental Review processes  4926> Compliance with Environmental Review processes  4927> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes  4929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.	Select (Yes,No, NA) Yes

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<1120>	Please check this box to confirm no terrestrial backhaul options exist within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G)	
<1130>	Please check this box to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G)	

(2000) P	(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481	
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CHECK t	the boxes below to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect Ameri support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e	CHECK the boxes below to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect America Phase I support, frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e) the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.	
	Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting		
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	Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification {47 CFR § 54.312(a)}		
<2012>	> 2013 Frozen Support Certification		
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<2015>	> 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification		
	Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}		
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<2018>			
<2019>	> Interim Progress Certification		
<2020>	Please check the box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 2021, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (e)(3)(ii), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.	ne 2021, contains the required information shall provide the number, names, and g access to broadband service in the	
<7071>	> Interim Progress Community Anchor Institutions		
		Name of Address of Contract of	
		Name of Attached Document Listing Required information	

(3000) R	(3000) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
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CHECK	CHECK the boxes below to note compliance on its five year service quality plan (pursuar CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that th	its five year service quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.202(a)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.
(3010)	Progress Report on 5 Year Plan Milestone Certification $\{47\ {\rm CFR}\ \S\ 54.313(f)(1)(i)\}$	
		Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information
(3011)	Please check this box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 3012 contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (f)(1)(ii), the carrier shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.	312 contains the required information pursuant to sees of community anchor institutions to which began
(3012)	Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)}	
9		Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information
(3013) (3014)	Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier $\{47\mathrm{CHR}\ 5.54.313(f)\{2\}\}$ If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report	
Please	check these boxes to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 301	Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:
(3015)	Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Rorrowsers)	
(3016)	_	th Flows
(3017)	If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation	4319880k3017.pdf
		Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information
(3018)	If the response is no on line 3014, Is yo	ON/SaX)
(3019)	If the response is yes on line 3018, ple confirm your submission, on line 3026 Etther a copy of their audited financial	ase check the boxes below to pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications
(3020)	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Ir	sh Flows
(3021)	Management letter issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit.	nerformed the company's financial audit.
	If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on line 3026 pursuant to $\S$ 54.313( $\beta$ /2), contains:	
(3022)	Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications	
	Borrowers,	
(3023)	Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant	][
(3024)	Underlying information subjected to an officer certification. Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of	Cash Flows
(30026)	Attach the worksheet listing ranilisal information	
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		Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

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### TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

# Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier:

Signature of Authorized Officer:

Date

Printed name of Authorized Officer:

Title or position of Authorized Officer:

Telephone number of Authorized Officer:

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:

Filing Due Date for this form:

Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C.  $\S$  1001.

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### TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

Certification of Officer to Authorize an	Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I sibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized vided to the authorized agent is accurate.
Name of Authorized Agent: Lynette Hampton	
Name of Reporting Carrier: DOBSON TEL CO	
Signature of Authorized Officer: CERTIFIED ONLINE	Date: 06/27/2014
Printed name of Authorized Officer: Trent LeForce	
Title or position of Authorized Officer: CFO	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer: 4052420336 ext.	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier: 431988	Filing Due Date for this form: 07/01/2014
, ,	ned by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

### TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Rec	cipients on Behalf of Reporting Ca	rrier
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service sup the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the info		g carrier; I have provided
Name of Reporting Carrier: DOBSON TEL CO		
Name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: Lynette Hampton		
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: CERTIFIED ONLINE	Date: 06/	/27/2014
Printed name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: Lynette Hampton		
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent Authorized Representative		
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: 5126527725 ext.		
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier: 431988 Filing Due Date for this form: 07/	/01/2014	



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State	Exchange (ILEC)	SAC (CETC)	Rate Type	Residential Local Service Rate	State Subscriber Line Charge	State Universal Service Fee	Mandatory Extended Area Service Charge	Total per line Rates and Fees
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OK	CHEYENNE		FR	15.85	0.0	0.45	0.0	16.3
OK	ERICK		FR	15.85	0.0	0.44	0.0	16.29
OK	LEEDY		FR	15.85	0.0	0.44	0.0	16.29
OK	REYDON		FR	15.85	0.0	0.45	0.0	16.3
OK	ROGER MILLS		FR	15.85	0.0	0.47	0.0	16.32
OK	SWEETWATER		FR	15.85	0.0	0.44	0.0	16.29
OK	TALOGA		FR	15.85	0.0	0.45	0.0	16.3
OK	VICI		FR	15.85	0.0	0.43	0.0	16.28

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### LINE 112 - FIVE-YEAR SERVICE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PLAN

Following is the initial five-year service quality improvement plan for Dobson Telephone Company ("Dobson" or "the Company") pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a)(1)(ii) that requires an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) to describe proposed improvements or upgrades to the ETC's network throughout its service area. The *USF/ICC Transformation Order* establishes a public interest obligation for rate-of-return ETCs to provide broadband service at speeds of at least 4 Mbps downstream and 1 Mbps upstream (4:1) "upon reasonable request." A service quality improvement plan cannot project where in the service area reasonable requests will be made. However, the proposed service improvements in this plan result in the availability of 4:1 or better service to a greater portion of the Company's service area than is currently available.

Although this plan is a good faith effort by the Company, it is subject to change, given the uncertainty faced by ETCs regarding whether capital investments will be recoverable over the five year planning horizon. Factors that may affect the capital improvements plan include erosion of the customer base due to competition, alternative technologies, economic conditions in the service area, and unpredictable changes in the universal service support amounts an ETC receives.

Dobson owns and operates nine exchanges serving subscribers in western Oklahoma. The service area includes portions of Beckham, Roger Mills, Custer, Dewey, Ellis and Woodward counties. The service area covers approximately 1,806 square miles.

# **Baseline Network Description**



Table 1 - Current Broadband Capabilities

Exchange Name	Square Miles	Total Existing Access Lines	Estimated Total Population Served	Total Broadband Capable Lines	Estimated Broadband Capable Population	% Broadband Capable

# 2014 - 2019 Service Quality Improvement Plan

Table 2 provides Dobson's potential service quality improvements and associated capital expenditures for 2014 - 2019, by exchange, along with estimates of the population that will be served by the improvements.

	Estimated Population Served by Improvements	
	2019	
UE	2018	
provement Pla	2017	
Table 2 - Service Quality Improvement Plan	2016	
Table 2 – Se	2015	
	2014	
	Description of Improvement	
	Exchange	

Narrative Description: 2014 - 2019



# LINE 510 - SERVICE QUALITY STANDARDS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION RULES COMPLIANCE

Dobson Telephone Company complies with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules for its voice and broadband services.

Service quality standards for voice service are established by the state commission. The Company consistently meets or exceeds those standards and provides reports to the state commission, in accordance with the state commission's rules.

The Company complies with any and all consumer protection obligations under state law.

The Company also complies with the following consumer best practices: (1) the Company discloses its rates and terms of service to customers; (2) the Company provides specific disclosures in its advertising; (3) the Company separately identifies carrier charges from taxes on its billing statements; (4) the Company provides ready access to customer service; (5) the Company promptly responds to consumer inquiries and complaints received from government agencies; and (6) the Company abides by policies for protection of consumer privacy.

Finally, the Company has a policy and established operating procedures that comply with the FCC's Customer Proprietary Network Information (CPNI) rules (47 C.F.R. §§64.2001-64.2011). Certification of the Company's compliance with CPNI rules and a description of the Company's operating procedures that ensure compliance are filed annually with the FCC.

### LINE 610 - ABILITY TO FUNCTION IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS

Dobson Telephone Company is able to function in emergency situations for both voice and broadband service. The Company has a reasonable amount of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external power source. Standby power generators are supplied at the central office, remote switch sites, and repeater sites to ensure functionality without an external power source until power is restored. The network is capable of managing traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations.

The Company is able to reroute traffic around damaged facilities. Although the Company's ability to reroute traffic around damaged facilities is not absolute and may be limited in certain circumstances, there is a restoration plan in place for expeditious recovery of service, including splicing of damaged facilities when warranted.

### LINE 920 – TRIBAL GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT OBLIGATION

The service area of Dobson Telephone Company (the Company) includes Tribal lands in Oklahoma. The Company sent letters via U.S. Postal Service Certified Mail to the Cheyenne-Arapaho tribes in Oklahoma. The letters were addressed to the Governor of the Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribes. Each letter invited the Tribal government to contact the Company to schedule a meeting to discuss Tribal needs assessment and deployment planning; feasibility and sustainability planning; methods of marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner; right-of-way and other permitting and review processes; and compliance with Tribal business and licensing requirements.

The following paragraphs provide details of the Company's attempts to engage in discussions with Tribal leaders.

On September 10, 2013 the Company sent a letter via U.S. Postal Service Certified Mail to the Governor of the Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribes requesting a meeting to discuss the communications needs of the Tribal community. The Company received no response to the letter.

On December 5, 2013 the Company sent a letter via U.S. Postal Service Certified Mail to the Governor of the Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribes noting the letter was a 2nd request for a meeting to discuss the communications needs of the Tribal community.

By the end of 2013, the Company had not been contacted by any representative of the Tribal government.

### LINE 1010 – VOICE SERVICES RATE COMPARABILITY

The Wireline Competition Bureau's most recent reasonable comparability benchmark for voice services is \$46.96, which includes the federal subscriber line charge ("SLC").<sup>1</sup>

In the exchanges served by Dobson Telephone Company, the highest single-line residential local rate, including any mandatory extended area service charge, is \$15.85. When the federal SLC and the state universal service fee are added, the total is below the reasonable comparability benchmark of \$46.96.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Results of Urban Rate Survey for Voice Services; Seeks Comment on Petition for Extension of Time to Comply With New Rate Floor, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 14-384 (rel. Mar. 20, 2014), p. 2.

# LINE 1210 – TERMS & CONDITIONS OF VOICE TELEPHONY LIFELINE PLANS

Dobson Telephone Company (the Company) offers Lifeline subscribers the applicable federal and state Lifeline discounts to the price of single-line basic local exchange service. Local exchange service includes an unlimited number of local calling minutes. Additional charges for toll calls associated with the residential local exchange service are billed at the rates of the long distance carrier chosen by the subscriber. The attached pages from the Company's Local Exchange Tariff include the terms and conditions for Lifeline Service and the rates for Local Exchange Service.

### LIFELINE SERVICE IV.

### Α. Applicability

- 1. Lifeline Service is a telecommunications service assistance program designed to provide eligible residential customers with a credit to be applied to the price of basic local exchange service.
- 2. Eligible customers will receive a credit as set forth in Section IV. Lifeline Credits below, to be applied to their basic local exchange access service.
- 3. Customers shall not receive more than one Lifeline credit regardless of the number of residential access lines or locations the customer receives service within the State of Oklahoma.
- 4. All charges, either recurring or nonrecurring, for any service or feature other than Lifeline Service shall be billed at the tariffed rate
- 5. Lifeline Service shall not be available on a retroactive basis.

### В. Designated Services Available to Lifeline Customers (1)

The following services shall be offered to eligible Lifeline customers:

- 1. Single Party Service
- 2. Local Usage
- Touch Tone Services 3.
- Voice Grade Access to the Public Switched Network 4.
- 5. Access to Emergency Services
- Access to Operator Services 6.
- 7. Access to Interexchange Services
- 8. Access to Directory Assistance
- Availability of Toll Restriction at No Charge (2) 9.

### C. Eligibility Requirements

- Customers or applicants seeking a Lifeline service credit must provide 1. documentation to the Company establishing that the customer or applicant meets one or more of the following eligibility requirements prior to receiving the Lifeline service credit.
- (1) (2) Lifeline service may not be disconnected for non-payment of toll charges.

Eligible customers accepting toll restriction services shall not be required to pay a deposi

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- C. Eligibility Requirements (Continued)
  - a. The applicant or customer must meet the requirements for eligibility for either Medicaid, Food Stamps, federal public housing, Low-Income Energy Assistance Program, or Supplemental Security Income. Additionally, persons who are eligible recipients of income assistance for Vocational Rehabilitation (including Aid to the Hearing Impaired) are also eligible for the Lifeline Service credit; or
  - Are eligible for or receive assistance or benefits, as certified by the State Department of Rehabilitation services, under programs providing vocational rehabilitation, including aid to the hearing impaired; or
  - Are eligible for or receive assistance or benefits, as certified by the Oklahoma Tax Commission, pursuant, pursuant to the Sales Tax Relief Act, section 5011 et seq. of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
  - d. For federal income tax purposes, the applicant is not a dependant unless over sixty years of age.
- 2. The eligibility requirements listed above will be certified to by the applicant or the applicable state agency. The Company assumes no responsibility for the certification of customers or applicants eligibility.
- 3. Upon receipt of the applicant's documentation establishing eligibility as stated above, the Company will begin providing the credit.
- Lifeline customers are required to provide documentation for the purpose of determining their continuing eligibility for the Lifeline credit, upon request of the Company, no less frequently than annually.
- 5. The Lifeline service credit will be discontinued for customers who no longer meet the eligibility requirements for the Lifeline Service credit.



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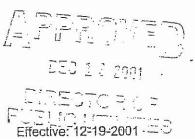
Lifeline Credits D.

	<u>M</u>	Ionthly Credit (1)
1.)	federal subscriber line charge credit	(2)
2)	initial federal credit to residential access line	\$1.75
3)	initial state credit to residential access line	\$1.17
4)	additional federal credit to residential access line (3	3) \$0.58

Credit amount will not exceed the total of the subscriber line charge and the residential local exchange rate. In no instance will a subscriber's monthly local exchange rate be less than \$2.50 (1) after application of the Lifeline credits.

Lifeline Service has been certified by the FCC, therefore, eligible Lifeline customers will receive the (2)appropriate waiver of the Subscriber Line Charge (SLC) as specified by the FCC.

Half of the amount specified on line 3, not to exceed \$1.75. (3)



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Eligibi	lity Requirements for Lifeline Service On Tribal Lands	AT
1.	The applicant or customer seeking to obtain Lifeline Service on Tribal Lands (see definition in 2.a. below) must demonstrate their current participation in at least one of the following assistance programs. The Applicant or customer shall complete and sign, under penalty of perjury, an authorization and self certification form provided by the Company. The Applicant or customer must check all of the following that apply.  a. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program ("SNAP" f/k/a Food Stamps)	
	b. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	AT
	c. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	
	<ul> <li>d. Medical Assistance (Medicaid/Soonercare)</li> <li>e. Vocational Rehabilitation (including aid to the hearing impaired)</li> <li>f. Oklahoma Sales Tax Relief</li> </ul>	AT
	g. Federal Public Housing Assistance	
	h. Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program	AT
	<ul><li>i. Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations ("FDPIR")</li><li>j. 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines</li></ul>	AT AT
	<ul> <li>j. 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines</li> <li>k. Bureau of Indian Affairs general assistance; (1)</li> </ul>	AI
	1. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) tribally-	
	administered block grant programs; (2) m. Head Start Programs (only applicant or customer who satisfy the	
	income qualifying eligibility provision); or	
	n. National School Lunch Program (only applicant or customer who satisfy the income standard of the program for free meals).	
2.	The applicant or customer must also certify:	
	a. Residence on Tribal Lands as described in Title 25, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 20.1, paragraph (v).	
	b. Agreement to notify Company if applicant or customer no longer	
	participates in the program or programs described in paragraph 1. above,	
	for which the Applicant or Customer certified their participation in.	
	The applicant must not be a dependent for Rederal Income Tay nursuses	خ
	unless the applicant is over the age of 60.	OTHIL.
3.	unless the applicant is over the age of 60.  Upon receipt of the completed self certification, Company will begin providing the credit set forth in F. below. Lifeline credits will not be implemented.	Chi.
	the credit set forth in F. below. Lifeline credits will not be implemented with	
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(mga)	Lifeline Service criteria specified above.	
(1)	Applicant must "have sufficient resources to meet the basic and special needs design by the Burger Standard of assistance," 25 C.F.R. § 20.21.	
(2)	Lifeline Service criteria specified above.  Applicant must "have sufficient resources to meet the basic and special needs defined by the Bureau Standard of assistance," 25 C.F.R. § 20.21.  42 U.S.C. § 612 and 45 C.F.R. § 286.	
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25 C.F.R. § 20.21. 612 and 45 C.F.R. § 286. Legal Authority: OAC 165:55-5-10(c) Effective: 8-1-2012 Issued: 7-27-2012

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E. Eligibility Requirements for Lifeline Service On Tribal Lands (Continued) AT

- 4. The Lifeline credits will be discontinued upon receipt by the Company of notice by the Customer that they no longer meet the eligibility requirements for the Lifeline credits.
- 5. The Lifeline credits will be automatically discontinued unless the customer annually certifies they continue to meet the eligibility requirements for Lifeline credits. All such annual re-self certifications must be submitted to the Company within the time frames determined by the Company.
- 6. Lifeline customers will be converted to standard residential service rates once they no longer qualify for Lifeline Service. No service charge will apply for this change in service.
- F. Lifeline Credits on Tribal Lands

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Lifeline Service on Tribal Lands has been established by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), therefore eligible Lifeline customers will receive the appropriate credits, depending on the programs the customer participates in, as specified by the FCC in its Twelfth Report and Order entered into in CC Docket No. 96-45 and as set forth below:

If a customer indicates eligibility to receive Lifeline credits as, Supplemental 1. Nutrition Assistance Program ("SNAP" f/k/a Food Stamps), Temporary Assistance AT for Needy Families (TANF), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medical Assistance, Vocational Rehabilitation (including aid to the hearing impaired), Food AT Distribution Program on Indian Reservations ("FDPIR") or Oklahoma Sales Tax Relief Act (68 O.S.§5011, et seq.), then the Customer should receive credits as follows:

Monthly Credit(1)

Federal Lifeline Credit:	\$9.25	CR
Oklahoma Universal Service Fund Credit:	\$1.17	CR -
Additional Federal Credit to Residential Access Lir	ne	
necessary to reduce customer's bill to \$1.00	(See footnote (2) below)	

(1)

Credit amount will not exceed the total of the subscriber line charge and the residential local exchange rate, loss \$1.00. Given instance will a subscriber's monthly local exchange rate be less than \$1.00 after the application of the Lifeline Credits.

Eligible customers will also receive an additional reduction off the applicable monthly tarriff rate for their local exchange series, not to exceed \$25.00 as specified by the FCC in its Twelfth Report and Order entered in CC Docket No. 96-45. (2)

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F. Lifeline Credits on Tribal Lands (Continued)

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2. If a customer indicates his eligibility to receive Lifeline credits as only one or more of the following: Federal Public Housing Assistance, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, Bureau of Indian Affairs general assistance, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) tribally administered block grant programs, Head Start Programs (only those meeting its income qualifying eligibility provision), 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines, or National School Lunch Program (only Applicant or customer who satisfy the income standard of the program for free meals), then the Customer should receive credits as follows:

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Federal Lifeline Credit:

Monthly Credit (3) \$9.25

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Additional Federal Credit to Residential Access Line necessary to reduce customer's bill to \$1.00 (see footnote (4) below)

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(3)

Credit amount will not exceed the total of the subscriber line charge and the residential local exchange rate less \$1.00 % had instance will subscriber's monthly local exchange rate be less than \$1.00 after the application of the Lifeline Credits.

Eligible customers will also receive an additional reduction off the applicable monthly tariff rate for their local exchange solvice, not to exceed \$25.00 as specified by the FCC in its Twelfth Report and Order entered in CC Docket No. 96-45.

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### LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

### III. SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

A. Residential Monthly Local Exchange Access Line Rates (1)(2)

Exchange	1- Party	
Camargo	\$15.85	CR.
Cheyenne	15.85	
Erick	15.85	
Leedey	15.85	
Reydon	15.85	
Roger Mills	15.85	
Sweetwater	15.85	Authorites des des
Taloga	15.85	***************************************
Vici	15.85	CR

Issued by: James W. Rutherford, President CSF 201300080 Legal Authority: 17 O.S. \$137 et seq.; OAC 165:55-5-Competitive Service Filing Effective: May 1, 2013

<sup>(1)</sup> Pursuant to RM 930000090, Order No. 380024, Tone Dialing is part of basic service. The combined offering will be the standard service offering for basic service.

<sup>(2)</sup> Rates for Access Line Service do not include a charge for an instrument or other customer premises equipment.

Public Utility Division

The following 2012 RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers contains combined financial information for:

Dobson Telephone Company, Inc. Study Area Code 431988

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		PART	A. BALANCE SHEET		
	BALANCE	BALANCE		BALANCE	BALANCE
ASSETS	PRIOR YEAR	END OF PERIOD	LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	PRIOR YEAR	END OF PERIOD
CURRENT ASSETS			CURRENT LIABILITIES	PRIOR FEAR	END OF PERIOD
Cash and Equivalents			25. Accounts Payable		
2. Cash-RUS Construction Fund			26. Notes Payable		
3. Affiliates:			27. Advance Billings and Payments		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			28. Customer Deposits		
b. Other Accounts Receivable					
c. Notes Receivable			29. Current Mat. L/T Debt		
4. Non-Affiliates:			30. Current Mat. L/T Debt-Rur. Dev.		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			31. Current MatCapital Leases		
b. Other Accounts Receivable			32. Income Taxes Accrued		
c. Notes Receivable			33. Other Taxes Accrued		
Interest and Dividends Receivable			34. Other Current Liabilities	<del></del>	
			35. Total Current Liabilities (25 thru 34)		
6. Material-Regulated			LONG-TERM DEBT		
7. Material-Nonregulated			36. Funded Debt-RUS Notes		
Prepayments     Other Current Assets			37. Funded Debt-RTB Notes	<del></del>	
10. Total Current Assets (1 Thru 9)			38. Funded Debt-FFB Notes		
NONCURRENT ASSETS			39. Funded Debt-Other		
11. Investment in Affiliated Companies			40. Funded Debt-Rural Develop. Loan		
			41. Premium (Discount) on L/T Debt		
a. Rural Development b. Nonrural Development			42. Reacquired Debt	<u> </u>	
12. Other Investments			43. Obligations Under Capital Lease	•	
a. Rural Development			44. Adv. From Affiliated Companies		
b. Nonrural Development			45. Other Long-Term Debt	<del></del>	
Nonregulated Investments			46. Total Long-Term Debt (36 thru 45)	1700 P	
			OTHER LIAB. & DEF. CREDITS		
14. Other Noncurrent Assets			47. Other Long-Term Liabilities		
Deferred Charges     Jurisdictional Differences			48. Other Deferred Credits		
			49. Other Jurisdictional Differences		
17. Total Noncurrent Assets (11 thru 16)			50. Total Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits (47 thru 49)	<del></del>	
PLANT, PROPERTY, AND EQUIPMENT			EQUITY		
18. Telecom, Plant-in-Service			51. Cap. Stock Outstand. & Subscribed		
19. Property Held for Future Use			52. Additional Paid-in-Capital		
20. Plant Under Construction			53. Treasury Stock		
21. Plant Adj., Nonop. Plant & Goodwill			54. Membership and Cap. Certificates		
22. Less Accumulated Depreciation			55. Other Capital		
23. Net Plant (18 thru 21 less 22)			56. Patronage Capital Credits		
24. TOTAL ASSETS (10+17+23)			57. Retained Earnings or Margins	1000 100 to	
			58. Total Equity (51 thru 57)		
			59. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY (35+46+50+58)		
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PART B. STATEMENTS OF INCOM	E AND RETAINED EARNING	GS OR MARGINS	
ITEM		PRIOR YEAR	THIS YEAR
Local Network Services Revenues			
2. Network Access Services Revenues			
Long Distance Network Services Revenues			
Carrier Billing and Collection Revenues			
5. Miscellaneous Revenues			
6. Uncollectible Revenues			
7. Net Operating Revenues (1 thru 5 less 6)			
Plant Specific Operations Expense			
9. Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense (Excluding Depreciation & Amorti	zation)		
10. Depreciation Expense			
11. Amortization Expense			
12. Customer Operations Expense			
13. Corporate Operations Expense			
14. Total Operating Expenses (8 thru 13)			
15. Operating Income or Margins (7 less 14)			
16. Other Operating Income and Expenses			
17. State and Local Taxes	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
18. Federal Income Taxes			
19. Other Taxes			
20. Total Operating Taxes (17+18+19)			
21. Net Operating Income or Margins (15+16-20)			
22. Interest on Funded Debt	····		
23. Interest Expense - Capital Leases			
24. Other Interest Expense			
25. Allowance for Funds Used During Construction 26. Total Fixed Charges (22+23+24-25)			
27. Nonoperating Net Income			
28. Extraordinary Items			
29. Jurisdictional Differences	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
30. Nonregulated Net Income	Y		
31. Total Net Income or Margins (21+27+28+29+30-26)			
32. Total Taxes Based on Income			
33. Retained Earnings or Margins Beginning-of-Year			
34. Miscellaneous Credits Year-to-Date			
35. Dividends Declared (Common)			
36. Dividends Declared (Preferred)			
37. Other Debits Year-to-Date			
38. Transfers to Patronage Capital	······································		
39. Retained Earnings or Margins End-of-Period [(31+33+34) - (35+36+3)	7+38)1		
40. Patronage Capital Beginning-of-Year			
41. Transfers to Patronage Capital			
42. Patronage Capital Credits Retired			
43. Patronage Capital End-of-Year (40+41-42)			
44. Annual Debt Service Payments			
45. Cash Ratio [(14+20-10-11) / 7]			
46. Operating Accrual Ratio [(14+20+26) / 7]			
47. TIER [(31+26) / 26]			
48. DSCR [(31+26+10+11) / 44]			

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No. Exchanges

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Cheyenne
Erick
Sweetwater
Reydon
Camargo
Roger Mills
Vici
Stella
Newalla
McLoud
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Taloga

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	PART D. SYSTE	M DATA				
I. No. Plant Employees	3. Square Miles Served		4. Access Lines per Squa	re Mile	5. Subscribers per Route Mile	
	PART E. TOLL	DATA				
Study Area ID Code(s)     Z. Types of Toll	Settlements (Check or	ne)				
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PART F.	FUNDS INVESTED IN	PLANT DURING Y	EAR			
RUS, RTB, & FFB Loan Funds Expended						
Other Long-Term Loan Funds Expended						
Funds Expended Under RUS Interim Approval						
Other Short-Term Loan Funds Expended						
General Funds Expended (Other than Interim)						
6. Salvaged Materials						
7. Contribution in Aid to Construction						
8. Gross Additions to Telecom, Plant (1 thru 7)						
PART G.	INVESTMENTS IN AFI	FILIATED COMPAN	NES			
	CURRENT	YEAR DATA		CUMULATIVE D	ATA	
			Cumulative	Cumulative		
INVESTMENTS	Investment	income/Loss	Investment	Income/Loss	Current	
	This Year	This Year	To Date	To Date	Balance	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(1)	
Investment in Affiliated Companies - Rural Development						
Investment in Affiliated Companies - Nonrural Development						

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PART H. CURREN	DEPRECIATION RATES		***************************************		
Are corporation's depreciation rates approved by the regulatory authority					
with jurisdiction over the provision of telephone services? (Check one)			YES	X	NO
EQUIPMENT CATEGORY		D	EPRECIA	ATION RA	ATE
Land and support assets - Motor Vehicles     Land and support assets - Aircraft					
Land and support assets - Airdait     Land and support assets - Special purpose vehicles					
Land and support assets - Special purpose verticles     Land and support assets - Garage and other work equipment					
Land and support assets - Garage and other work equipment     Land and support assets - Buildings					
Land and support assets - Buildings     Land and support assets - Furniture and Office equipment					
Land and support assets - I difficult and Office equipment     Land and support assets - General purpose computers					
Central Office Switching - Digital					
Central Office Switching - Analog & Electro-mechanical					
Central Office Switching - Operator Systems					
11. Central Office Transmission - Radio Systems					
12. Central Office Transmission - Circuit equipment					
13. Information origination/termination - Station apparatus					
14. Information origination/termination - Customer premises wiring	***************************************				
15. Information origination/termination - Large private branch exchange	ns .				
16. Information origination/termination - Public telephone terminal equipment					
17. Information origination/termination - Other terminal equipment					
18. Cable and wire facilities - Poles					
19. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Metal					
20. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Fiber					
21. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Metal					
22. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Fiber					
23. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Metal					
24. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Fiber					
25. Cable and wire facilities - Conduit systems					
26. Cable and wire facilities - Other					
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INST	RUCTIONS – See help in the online application.	
	PART I – STATEMENT OF CA	ASH FLOWS
1,	Beginning Cash (Cash and Equivalents plus RUS Construction Fund)	
	CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIE	is
2.	Net Income	
	Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by 6	Operating Activities
3.	Add: Depreciation	<u> </u>
4.	Add: Amortization	
5.	Other (Explain)	-
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	Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities	***************************************
6.	Decrease/(Increase) in Accounts Receivable	N. C.
7.	Decrease/(Increase) in Materials and Inventory	
8.	Decrease/(Increase) in Prepayments and Deferred Charges	
9.	Decrease/(Increase) in Other Current Assets	
10.	Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	
11.	Increase/(Decrease) in Advance Billings & Payments	
12.	Increase/(Decrease) in Other Current Liabilities	
13.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Operations	
	CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIE	S
14.	Decrease/(Increase) in Notes Receivable	
15.	Increase/(Decrease) in Notes Payable	
16.	Increase/(Decrease) in Customer Deposits	
17.	Net Increase/(Decrease) in Long Term Debt (Including Current Maturities)	
18.	Increase/(Decrease) in Other Liabilities & Deferred Credits	
19.	Increase/(Decrease) in Capital Stock, Paid-in Capital, Membership and Capital Certific	ates & Other Capital
20.	Less: Payment of Dividends	
21.	Less: Patronage Capital Credits Retired	
22.	Other (Explain)	
23.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Financing Activities	
	CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIE	\$
24.	Net Capital Expenditures (Property, Plant & Equipment)	
25.	Other Long-Term Investments	
26.	Other Noncurrent Assets & Jurisdictional Differences	
27.	Other (Explain)	W CHEST
28.	Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Investing Activities	
29.	Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash	
30.	Ending Cash	
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